

Subject: Follow up...Sidewalk Vending Ordinance
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Good afternoon Rena and congratulations on your new position as Chair for the BID Consortium!

For the last several months I have been asking about the status of the Sidewalk Vending Ordinance. I even brought it up at the October/November meeting when the CA's office that was there, and she had mentioned that Mike Feuer would give us an update at the December meeting. Unfortunately, he was not able to attend.

I spoke with Jasmine in February 2017 and she had mentioned there was a committee "Coalition for Small Businesses" that was working on some of the options and suggested I reach out to Marie Rumsey. I emailed Marie in February and in March 2017 inquiring on the status of the "Opt-Out" proposal and offered to help and get involved with the work that was being done. I have never had a response. Donald Duckworth also suggested I contact Marie.

While I've come to realize that all BIDS are not the same, and while we do share in some of the same issues, there are certain issues that affect certain individual communities more than others. Needless to say, the Sidewalk Vending Ordinance is an important issue for our community.

I have reached out to our Council Office (Paul Koretz) for information, but would greatly appreciate getting updated information from the BID Consortium and/or the Committee working on this ordinance and where it currently stands. At a meeting I attended some time ago, there was great interest on behalf of all of the BIDS that were there...since that meeting, nothing has been reported.

Again, congrats on being Chair...I look forward to working with you on this issue as well as others that affect all of the BIDS.

Very best,
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